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Beginner's Guide

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Thank You

Congratulations on your purchase of a ME Tablet. This guide is provided to help you get started quickly with your Tablet; please read it carefully and save it for future reference.

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Features

- Browse the web, watch videos , check e-mail, and more on a generous 7.0"LCD screen
- Make calls & browse the web through 2G/3G connectivity
- Connect your device to your PC using Bluetooth or USB Data card.
- Intuitive touchscreen controls powered by Android OS
- Connect to the Internet with high-speed networking support (Wi-Fi 802.11 b/g/n)
- Play popular video, music, and photo formats
- View pages in portrait or landscape with automatic orientation detection
- Expandable memory with optional microSD card
- Rechargeable lithium-polymer battery

Know your ME Tablet

No.	Name	Description
1	**Home key**	Home key
2	**Front Camera**	0.3MP Front-facing camera
3	**Receiver**	Tablet Receiver Speaker
4	**Sensor**	Proximity sensor
5	**LED**	Charging Indicator
6	**Power Key**	Press to turn the unit on, or to turn the screen on/off. Press and hold to access the power off menu.
7	**Vol+**	To increase the Volume
8	**Vol-**	To decrease the Volume

No.	Name	Description
9	**Power jack (DC input)**	Jack to insert the DC adaptor for charging (Use the adaptor which is bundled along with the Tablet)
10	**Reset**	Reset the device
11	**Micro USB 2.0 Hi-Speed port**	Using Micro-USB to USB data cable tablet can be connected to the computer as device.
12	**Mic**	Microphone used for audio chatting and sound recorder.
13	**Micro SD Card Slot**	Slot to insert the micro SD card
14	**SIM**	SIM Slot
15	**Flash**	LED Flash
16	**Rear Side Camera**	2.0MP Rear-facing camera.
17	**Speakers**	Stereo Speaker
18	**Headset Jack**	Audio Output jack for Headset *(Note: Speaker output is automatically disabled when Headset connected to tablet)*

About the Touchscreen

Your tablet comes equipped with an easy-to-use touchscreen which allows access to the tablet's functions. Use your finger tip to touch the area of the screen where a control icon is displayed. If you touch and hold the screen, it will register as a continuous button press.

⚠ To avoid damaging the screen, do not touch it with excessive force or with any object other than your finger. For best response, make sure your hands are clean before using the touchscreen controls.

Protective Film

A thin film has been applied to the touchscreen to protect it during shipping. The protective film should be removed before use. To remove it, simply take a corner of the film and peel it away from the screen.

Touchscreen Actions

You can control the functions of the tablet by using the touchscreen. To control the tablet with the touchscreen, use your finger to manipulate icons, buttons, menu items, the onscreen key-board, and other items displayed on the screen.

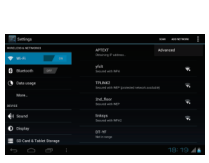
You can perform the following actions on the touchscreen using your fingertip.

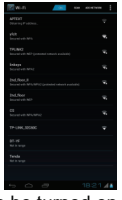
TOUCH:	To activate an on-screen item (e.g., application icons, buttons, menu items, and the letter/symbols of the on-screen keyboard), simply touch them with your finger.
TOUCH AND HOLD:	Some on-screen items have an alternate action if you touch and hold it (e.g., opening an alternate menu, or to activate the drag function). to touch and hold an item, touch the item and do not lift your finger until the action occurs.
DRAG:	Drag an on-screen item to change its position (e.g., an application icon on the home screen). To drag an item, touch and hold it for a moment, then without lifting your finger, move your finger on the screen until the item reaches its target destination.

SWIPE:	Swipe up/down on the screen to scroll through a list. On some screens, you may be able to swipe left/right to change the view. To swipe, touch the screen and then quickly move your finger across the screen without lifting your finger. Do not pause on the screen with your finger at the initial point of contact or you may accidentally drag an item instead.
Double-tap:	Quickly tap the screen twice on a webpage or other application screen to zoom (the application must support the double-tap/zoom function). Within the browser, double-tapping a webpage section will cause the browser to zoom and fit that section to the width of the screen.

About the Orientation Sensor (G-Sensor)

The tablet contains a sensor that will automatically change the orientation of most screens as you rotate the tablet. The sensor works best when the tablet is rotated perpendicular to the ground (i.e., when the tablet is held upright and not flat on its back).





The orientation sensor can be turned on and off in the Display settings menu.

⚠ Note: All screens may not support screen orientation feature and also screen orientation depends upon apps too.

Charging the Tablet

The tablet comes with a built-in rechargeable lithium-polymer battery.

Before using the tablet, the battery should be charged fully.

To charge the battery:
1.Plug one end of the included power adapter into an AC 110-240V outlet.
2.Plug the other end of the included power adapter into the Power jack on the tablet.
3.Disconnect the power adapter when the tablet is fully charged.

⚠ *Tablet won't support USB charging mode.*

Inserting a Memory Card

The tablet supports microSD memory cards. Insert a memory card into the microSD card slot to:

- ✦ Increase the memory capacity of your tablet.
- ✦ Play media files stored on the memory card (e.g., music, video, or photo files).

To insert a memory card:
1.Align the memory card with the card slot. The metal contacts of the memory card should face down towards the back panel.
2.Slide the card into the spring-loaded slot. Push the card in until it clicks into place.

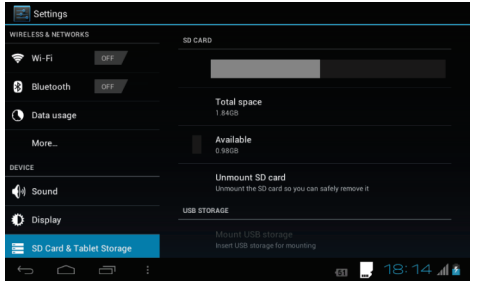
⚠ *Do not attempt to insert objects other than a microSD memory card into the card slot. A compatible memory card should fit easily into the card slot; if you encounter resistance, check the alignment of the card*

To release and remove a memory card:
1.UNMOUNT the memory card.

a. Go to Settings menu (In Home screen press menu virtual key and select system settings)

b. Select SD Card & Tablet Storage

c. Select Unmount SD card to unmount the micro SD card. The card can be removed once you see the "SD card Will be unmounted" .



⚠ *To avoid damage and data corruption, do not remove a memory card while data is being written to or read from the card. For example, do not remove a card while playing a music file stored on the card.*

Getting Started

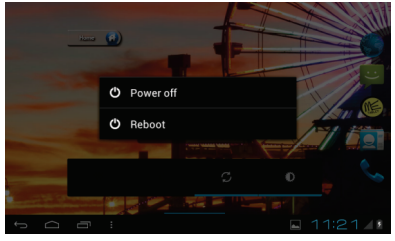
Turning the Tablet ON and OFF

To turn the tablet on:

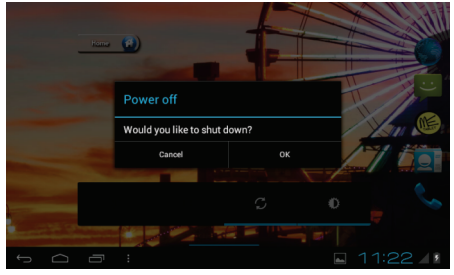
Press and hold the Power key until the LCD screen turns on. Wait until the Home screen appears; the tablet is now ready for use.

To turn the tablet off:

1. Press and hold the Power key until the Power OFF menu appears.



2.Touch Power off on the screen. A confirmation message will appear.



3.Press OK to turn off the tablet.

⚠ Charge the Tablet for 6-8 Hours before start to use it

Turning the Screen ON and OFF (Standby)

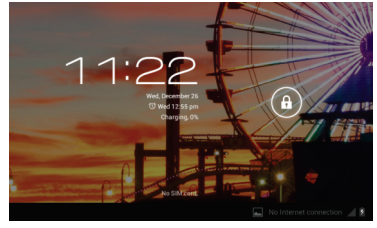
When the tablet is on, you can turn off the screen to conserve battery power. Simply press the Power key once to turn the screen off. Press the Power key again to turn the screen back on.

⚠ *To conserve battery power, the screen can be set to turn off automatically when the tablet is not in use (between 15 seconds and 30 minutes). This Screen timeout option can be found in the display settings menu:*

Unlocking the Screen

When the screen turns off you will have to unlock the screen when you turn it back on.

To unlock the screen, touch & hold lock icon and slide towards unlock icon.



if a password been set, enter the password to finish unlocking the screen. The Screen Unlock password can be set in the security settings menu.

Home Screen at a Glance

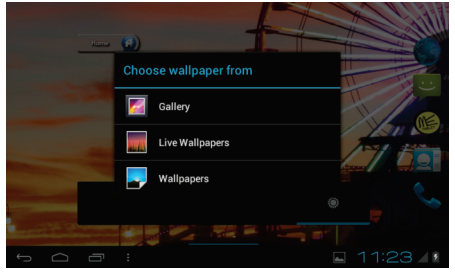
The home screen is the starting point for all of the features of your tablet.

No	Name	Description
1	Notification window	Shows notification icons; touch over the notification window to open it. Under notifications window you can find the status of time, battery level, wifi signal strength, mail etc...
2	Virtual buttons in the system Bar	Virtual buttons in the System Bar let you navigate instantly to Back, Home, Recent Apps and menu. The system Bar and virtual buttons are present across all apps, but can be dimmed by applications for full screen viewing.
3	Widgets	Widgets let you check email, flip through a calendar, play music, check social streams, and more right from the home screen, without having to launch apps. To add widget press & hold any apps from all apps launcher and you put it at home screen at empty space
4	All Apps Launcher	Open the Launcher to view a list of all applications installed on the tablet. Touch the All Apps Lanucher to open the Lanucher. (Note:You can swipe left and right to view additional screens.)

Menu:

Context menu

Context menus contain items related to a specific item on the screen. To view a context menu, touch and hold an item on the screen. For eg; If user touch & hold home screen, option to change wallpaper appears.



Not all items have a context menu; if a menu does not exist, nothing will happen if you touch and hold the item.

Connecting to the Internet

This tablet can utilize Wi-Fi data networks to connect to the Internet.

Requirements

In order to connect to the Internet, you will need the following:

1. A wireless router or access point with a broadband Internet connection

2.The wireless router network settings

You will need to know the name of your network(SSID), as well as the password or other credentials if your network is secured. These settings can usually be found on the administration webpage of your wireless router. Please refer to your wireless router's documentation for help, or ask your network administrator for details.

> ⚠ *You may encounter open Wi-Fi networks, or "hotspots."These networks are usually configured so that you can simply connect to them without needing to know its settings; the tablet will obtain all the information it needs from the router automatically*

Connect to a Wi-Fi Network

The Notification window displays icons that indicate your tablet's Wi-Fi status.

	Connected to a Wi-Fi network (waves indicate connection strength).
[no icon]	There are no Wi-Fi networks in range, or the Wi-Fi radio is off.

1. Turn on the Wi-Fi radio if it is not already on. To turn on Wi-Fi:

a. Press virtual home key from home screen

b. Touch system settings

c. Touch wi-fi to turn-on

d. Once wi-fi turned on, it will list available access points in the range. User can do force scan by touching scan option

When Wi-Fi is on, the tablet will look for and display a list of available Wi-Fi networks.

2. Select an available Wi-Fi network to connect to:

In the same Wi-Fi settings menu above, touch a network in the list.

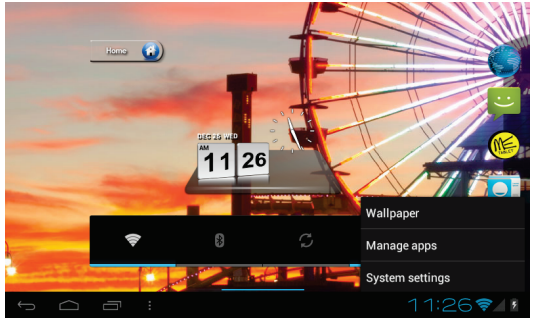
- ✦ If the network is open, tablet connects to the router once you touch the desired Wi-fi network.
- ✦ If the network is secured (as indicated by a Lock icon), the tablet will prompt you to enter a password to connect. Touch the Wireless password box to show the on-screen keyboard and then use it to enter the password. Touch Connect to confirm.

When you have successfully connected to a Wi-Fi network, the Notifications window at the bottom of the screen will show a Wi-Fi signal indicator.

> ⚠ *To learn about how to add a Wi-Fi network when it is not in range or when the router is set to obscure the network name (SSID); or to configure advanced Wi-Fi options, please refer to the manual.*

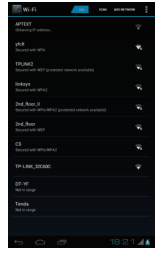
Connecting to proxy server through wi-fi

Step 1: Press the Notification Window and Select the **Settings.**

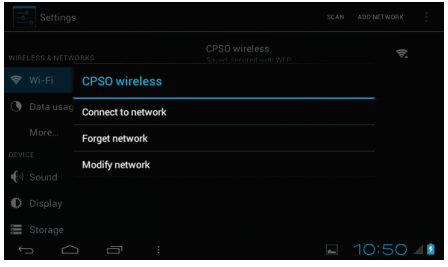


Step 2: In the following screen, make sure Wi-Fi is switched on

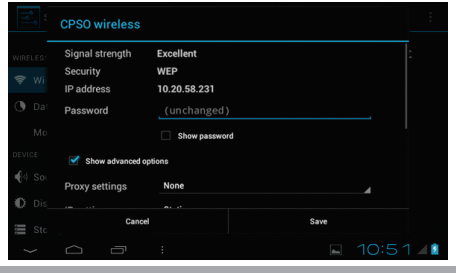
Step 3: Now long press on the network with which the proxy settings is to be used



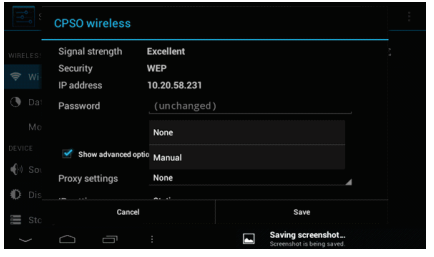
Step 4: In the following screen select **Modify Network** option



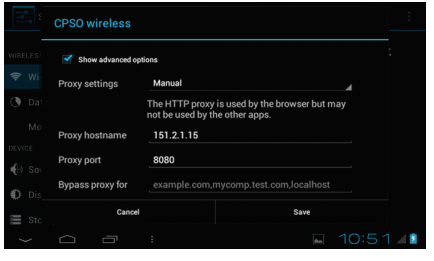
Step 5: Now click on **Show Advanced** option



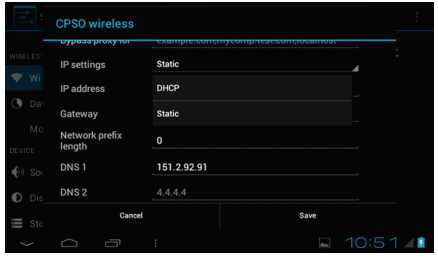
Step 6: In the following screen, in the Proxy Settings option please select **Manual** Option



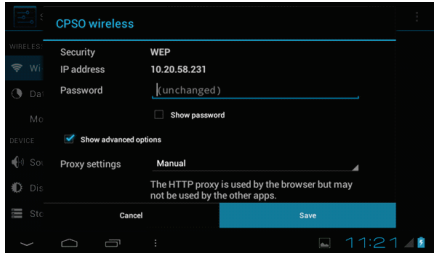
Step 7: Now, enter the proxy details **(Proxy Hostname & Proxy Port)** as given by the network administrator



Step 8: Also please ensure that the correct IP settings are done, as provided by the network administrator



Step 9: Now click on **Save** option.

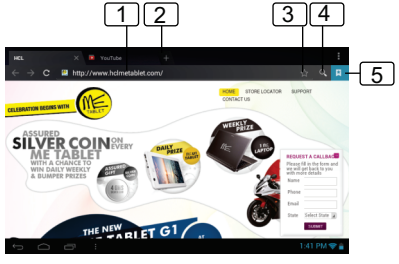


Browsing the Web

The Android Browser offers an experience that's as rich and convenient as a desktop browser.

To use Browser, the tablet must be connected to the Internet. Read the section "Connecting to the Internet" to learn how to connect to the Internet.

Browser



No.	Description
1	Address bar
2	To open new tab (max 16 tabs)
3	To bookmark the visited web page
4	Search tool
5	To view book marked pages, To history & saved pages

To bookmark a webpage.

Bookmark your favorite webpages in order to visit them quickly without entering a URL.

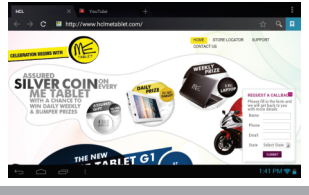
1. Go to the webpage that you want to bookmark

2. Touch the Bookmark icon to the right of the Address bar.

3. Touch the Add tile.

4. If desired, you can modify the name of the bookmark or its location (URL address).

Otherwise, touch OK to finish adding the bookmark.



Mail Configuration

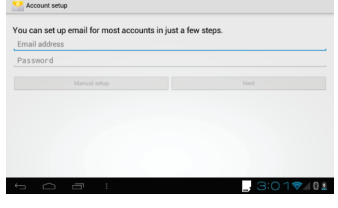
1. Select the Mail from All apps Launcher.

2. Enter the email address and password.

3. Select Next for auto configuration of mail settings

4.If auto configuration fails manually imap settings has to be fed by selecting Manual setup

Note: For setting details contact your network administrator.



Phone Function

This tablet can be used to make & receive the audio calls just like mobile phone.

Touch on the All Apps launcher to open the Phone application.

1.Touch to open the on-screen dial pad.

2.Touch to view call logs.

3.Touch to view contacts and edit contacts.

Making Calls

1. Call a desired phone number from contacts or call log.

2. Type the desired phone number using the on-screen dial pad.

3.Touch to make call.

Editing Conatcts

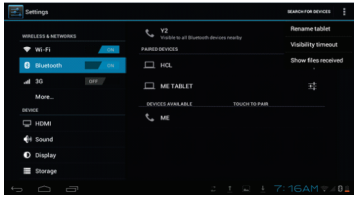
1.Touch

2.Touch menu key and touch New contact

3.Fill the fields and touch DONE

Bluetooth connectivity

This Tablet can use the Bluetooth to transfer files between two devices and also able to stream the audio through Bluetooth headphone.



1.To Turn ON the Bluetooth, under settings touch “Bluetooth” to Turn it ON

2.Touch “SEARCH FOR DEVICES”, to list the Bluetooth enabled device

3.Touch the device which needs to be paired and follow on-screen instruction at both the device to pair each other.

4.User able to see the list of device which are paired under PAIRED DEVICES and list of un-paired Bluetooth enabled device under DEVICES AVAILABLE

5.Touch menu key to get Bluetooth settings (Rename tablet, Visibility timeout, Show files received) to customize the bluetooth .

To send the files

1.Open Gallery

2.Select the file which has to be shared

3.Touch menu key and touch share

4.Select Bluetooth

5.Select the device to which it has to be sent

6.User can able to see file sending progress in notification panel

To receive the files

1.User not Bluetooth share: Incoming file notification at notification panel

2.Expand the notification panel and touch the Bluetooth share: Incoming file e the file

Optional Connections

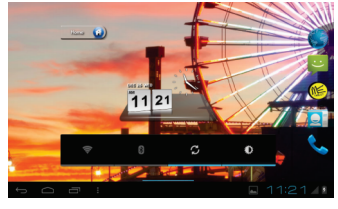
Connecting to a Computer

Connect the tablet to a computer to transfer files.

1. Connect your tablet to the computer. With the included USB cable:

✦ Plug the small end of the cable into the USB 2.0 Hi-speed connector of the tablet.

✦ Plug the large end of the cable into an available USB 2.0 Hi-speed port on the computer.



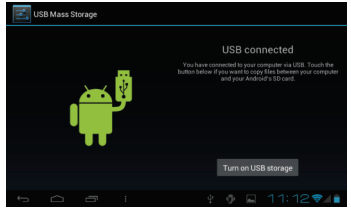
2.When your tablet is connected, a USB icon will appear in the Notification window.

Touch Notification window to expand.

3. Mount the storage drive.

✦ Touch USB connected to mount the tablet's built-in storage, then touch Turn on USB storage when prompted to confirm. When mounted, you can copy files to/from your computer to it.

Your tablet will be recognized by the computer as a Removable Storage drive. Drag and drop files between your tablet and the computer. To learn more about copying files, please refer to the documentation included with your computer or operating system.



Connecting Earphones

Connect a pair of Earphones to the tablet to enjoy media in private.

Lower the volume level of the tablet before connecting Earphones, and then slowly raise the volume to a comfortable listening level.

✦ The Earphones must have a 3.5 mm (1/8 in) plug.

✦ When Earphones are connected, speaker output will be disabled automatically.

> ⚠ *Constant exposure to high volumes can lead to hearing loss. If you should experience ringing in the ears or hearing loss, discontinue use and seek medical advice.*

Connecting USB 2G/3G Dongle

For procedure to connect USB based 3G/ 2G dongles and the supported dongle list, please refer to the below web link :-

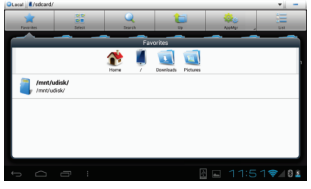
http://hclsupportservice.in/metablet/connectusbdongle-tablet-v1.htm

Accessing USB Drive and Micro SD Card

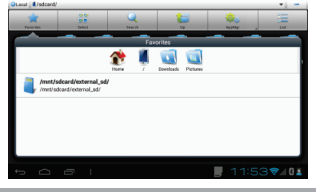
Follow the steps given below to access USB Pen drive:

Step 1:

For accessing USB Pen drive: Open ES File Explorer from all apps launcher & touch favorites.



Access SD Card: Open ES File Explorer from all apps launcher & touch favorites.



Setting the System Options

Open the system settings menu to adjust how the tablet looks and functions.
To open the Settings menu:

1.From the Home screen, press the virtual Menu key.
2.Select system Settings to open the Settings menu.

The settings are grouped by category. Select a category to open and customize the settings.

System settings

Wireless & Networks

Wi-Fi	Used to turn on and off the wi-fi and options available to set the wi-fi settings
Data usage	Data usage controls let you monitor total usage by network type and application and then set limits if needed.
More	Option available to configure the 3G dongle (for detail refer "Connecting 3G dongle section")

Device

Sound	Used to customize the sound settings of your Tablet.
Display	Used to control brightness, sleep time & auto rotate screen.
Storage	Used to view storage details of device and external micro SD card if used and also option available to mount & un-mount the micro SD card.
Battery	Used to view battery level & split up details of power consumption of the device.
Apps	Used to manage the applications in terms of viewing current running apps, installed apps, un-installing etc.)

Personal

Account & sync	Used to add an account & to control the sync status of your device with configured Accounts.
Security	Options available to secure your device.

Language & input	Used to select the language, keyboard layout and to add the new words to the dictionary.
Back up & reset	Used to back up your data & to do factory data reset.

System

Date & Time	Used to set the date, time, time zone etc.
Accessibility	Option to enhance the accessibility of Android 4.0 for blind or visually impaired users, supportable apps are required for its full functionality.
Developer Option	Options available for de-bugging purpose. Note: Suggesting not to change any settings.
HCL ME Tablet Info	Used to view system information.

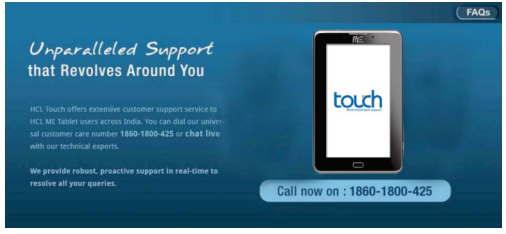
Specifications

Processor	1GHz Cortex A8 CPU
RAM	1 GB DDR3
Storage	Built-in Flash memory 4GB/ 8GB*, Support external TF card, maximum capacity of 32GB
Display	7" touchscreen(Capacitive) TFT LCD (800 x 480), WVGA Widescreen
Connectivity	WLAN IEEE 802.11(b/g/n) Bluetooth v3.0
Calling Feature	Built in GSM Voice calling GPRS/EDGE Data Support Network GSM 850/900/1800/1900
Sensor	Proximity Sensor
Vibrator	Built-in Vibrator
Audio Output	3.5 mm headphone

Video formats	RV,H.264,VC-1, H263, MPEG4, Vp6, MKV(H.264 HP), AVI, RM/RMVB,FLV,MPEG-1
Audio formats	MP3/WMA/APE/FLAC/AAC/ AC3/WAV
Image formats	JPEG/BMP/PNG
PC Interface	USB 2.0 Hi-speed and USB 2.0 (OTG)
Additional Features	Built-in microphone Front facing camera(0.3MP) Built-in speaker Rear facing camera(2.0MP)
Operating System	Android 4.0.4
Power	Rechargeable Li-Polymer battery (3.7V, 3200mAh) Power Adapter(DC 5V, 2A)

*8GB memory applicable Only for MEA Market.

HCL 24x7 Support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For Customer Use:
Enter below the serial number that is located on the rear of the unit. Retain this information for future

Model Number	
Serial Number	

Basic Troubleshooting

If the product suddenly has no response or powers off, an electrostatic discharge may be the cause. In this circumstance, please follow the procedures below for recovery:

- Reset the Tablet (use a paper clip to gently press the Reset button on the bottom of the Tablet).
- Turn on the unit again.

Below is the process to do factory reset, by doing this it will restore the default optimal setting and clear the applications which are residing at data memory space (Follow this instruction if system seems to work unstable, after doing this also problem didn't solve then please contact HCL support Centre).

- Touch virtual menu key from home screen
- Touch system settings
- Scroll down to Backup & Reset and select it
- Touch Factory data reset & follow on-screen instruction

Warning: By doing Factory data reset, application which are installed will be erased.

Important Handling Instructions

1. Read Instructions:
   All the safety and operating instructions should be read before the product is operated.

2. Retain Instructions:
   The safety and operating instructions should be retained for future reference.

3. Heed Warnings:
   All warnings on the product and in the operating instructions should be adhered to.

4. Follow Instructions:
   All operating and usage instructions should be followed.

5. Cleaning:
   Unplug product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Do not use liquid cleaners or aerosol cleaners. Use a damp cloth for cleaning which is bundled along with Tablet.

6. Water and Moisture:
   Do not use this product near water (e.g., near a bath tub, washbowl, kitchen sink, laundry tub, in wet basements, or near a swimming pool and the like).
7. Power Sources:
   This product should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the rating label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply to your home, consult your product dealer. For products intended to

operate from battery power or other sources, refer to the operating instructions.

8. Overloading:
Do not overload wall outlets, extension cords, or integral convenience receptacles as this can result in a risk of fire or electric shock.

9. Object and Liquid Entry:
Never push objects of any kind into this product through openings as they may touch dangerous voltage points or shout-out parts that could result in a fire or electric shock. Never spill liquid of any kind on the product.

10. Servicing:
Do not attempt to service this product yourself as opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltage or other hazards. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.

11.Damage Requiring Service:
Unplug this product from the wall outlet and refer servicing to qualified service personnel under the following conditions:
a) when the power-supply or plug is damaged;
b) if liquid has been spilled or if objects have fallen into the product;
c) if the product has been exposed to rain or water;
d) if the product does not operate normally by following the operating instructions. Adjust only those controls that are covered by the operating instructions as improper adjustment of other controls may result in damage and will often require extensive work by a qualified technician to restore the product to its normal operation;
e) if the product has been dropped or damaged in any way;

f) when the product exhibits a distinct change in performance. This indicates a need for service.

12.Replacement Parts:
When replacement parts are required, be sure that your service technician has used replacement parts specified by the manufacturer or have the same characteristics as the original part. Unauthorized substitutions may result in fire, electric shock, or other hazards.

13.Safety Check:
Upon completion of any service or repairs to this product, ask the service technician to perform safety checks to ensure that the product is in proper operating condition.

14.Heat:
The product should be situated away from heat sources such as radiators, stoves, or other products (including amplifiers) that produce heat.

15. Dropping:
Don't drop the product over hard surface or strike the product with hard substance which leads to damage of the product because some parts are made up of glass.

16.Usage during charging:
While changing, your tablet may get warm on connecter end side. For prolong usage hold the tablet to opposite end of connecter side for better comfort.